

so unable to do anything for you  
in your investigations, and that of  
Mr. Case is really a case in point.  
I never even heard of him.

We have taken a little run  
down here on my sister's account  
and mainly because she needed a  
change from her occupations.

We have just returned from West  
Palm Beach and find that even  
there, the orange trees are ruined  
and the cocoa-nut palms seriously  
injured. The frosts of last winter  
have made desolation in Florida.

Hoping to be able sometime soon  
to have the pleasure of seeing you,  
I am, Very sincerely yours,  
Wm. H. Knapton



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My dear Mrs. Gray,

Your note of 25<sup>th</sup> only  
reached me on my arrival here  
yesterday.

of course I shall be glad to  
send you a photograph after I  
get home which will probably  
be on Ap. 9<sup>th</sup>. I do not believe

I have any news and there-  
fore may be slightly delay-  
ed by having to get some. Do  
I understand you to wish my  
signature on it?

I am glad you liked the  
little notice I wrote of Mr. Redfield.  
I am afraid however that you  
will not think much of the  
one for the Bulletin. I was  
much hurried to get away from  
home and felt more or less ham-  
pered by the circumstances. Mr.  
Kand wished me to write some-  
thing of Mr. Redfield's views, as

the nomenclature question but af-  
ter doing so, the family thought  
it would kindly be courteous to  
Dr. Britton to ~~do so~~ <sup>Speak of it</sup> and I was  
very glad to dispense with it. Our  
dear friend was one of the  
best men I ever knew. I  
feel lost without him - and a  
good deal as I did when dear  
Dr. Gray left us - as if botany was  
no longer worth pursuing. What  
you tell me of Prof. Eaton is very  
sad, but I do hope he may be spa-  
red.

I am so sorry that I have been